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IRMA TIMES

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Funeral of J. E. Russell Held at Irma, Sat. May 5

John F Russel, of the Malbrae district, died at the Hardisty hospital, Thursday May 3rd., from blood poisoning, which developed from an injury in his arm.

The funeral was held in the Irma United church, Saturday afternoon, with Rev. R. W. Griffith officiating assisted by the Rev. J. R. Geeson. A large number of the Orangemens' association attended the funeral and conducted the service at the grave.

The floral offerings were very beautiful, and were a silent token of the respect and esteem in which the deceased was held in the community.

Mr. Russel was born in Gray Country, Ontario, in the year 1878. He was married to Beatrice Wilson in the year 1909. To this marriage were born four children, three of whom are still living.

He was survived by his wife, three children, two brothers, and six sisters.

The community extends the surviving family and relatives, their most sincere sympathy in their bereavement and loss.

Those contributing flowers are as follows:—

Nannie Sigard and Norman Fluevog; Sisters, Mrs. H. Gidley, of Vancouver, Mrs. Wall and family, Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Nealy and family, of Toronto; Mr. W. Gamble; Melbrae Community; Mr. Peter Nelson; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jackman and family; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson; Mr. and Mrs. R. McFarland; Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonald; Mr. and Mrs. Hollinger; Mr. and Mrs. Frickleton; Irma L.O.L.; Irma L.O.B.A.; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Erickson; Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Jones; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pedel; Mr. Dan Larson; Mr. and Mrs. W. Russel and Mr. and Mrs. J. Russel.

Plaxtol School Report

Mrs. M. P. Veitch, teacher of the Plaxtol school, submits her report for the month of April—

	P.C
Grade VIII—	
Doris Fletcher	84
Peter Gidora	83
Margaret Golding	77
Edna Ford	57
Maurice Bamelis	53
Grade VI—	
Violet Gidora	80
Tommy Kelly	62
Cecil Fletcher	61
Raymond Hill	58
John Ford	54
Grade III—	
Margaret Hill	69
Mildred Bamelis	65
Grade II—	
Jimmie Veitch	89
Gordon Woods	83
Susie Ford	76
Clifford Fletcher	67
Grade I—	
Florence Gidora	Excellent

W.M.S. TO MEET AT HOME OF MRS. TRIPP, MAY 17th

The May meeting of the W.M.S. will be held on Thursday, May 17th at the home of Mrs. Tripp. Miss Mitchell, who came under the auspices of the local organization, on May 2, gave her listeners a real inspiration from her talk touching on the work from different fields on the continents. Her vision and experiences are wide. The afternoon proved most interesting.

LADIES AID TO MEET THURSDAY, MAY 17th

The Roseberry and Alma Mater Ladies Aid will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Anderson, on Thursday, May 17th. All members are asked to meet at 2.30, as tea is planned to held after the regular meeting.

For Job Printing see E. W. Carter.

BRANCH, BANK OF MONTREAL, CELEBRATES 25th ANNIVERSARY

Recalling pioneer days in the history of Manville, the office of the Bank of Montreal in that community, observes its 25th anniversary on Saturday, May 19th

On that date, in 1909, the first bank in Manville was opened for business in temporary quarters. After only a few weeks, new premises, in an old store, were occupied. As the town and district were growing rapidly a further change was necessary, and accordingly, in 1912, the Bank purchased its present site at the corner of Main and Railway streets, and erected its own office, a two-storey frame building.

At the time the branch was first established in Manville by the Merchants Bank of Canada, now for many years a part of the Bank of Montreal, the town and district were still far from their present state of development. Very little grain was raised and the farmers concentrated their attention on the raising of livestock, as grass was abundant and hay easily procured. However, as the district became more thickly settled, open ranges gradually disappeared and to a large degree grain growing supplanted the raising of livestock. The dairy industry, however, is still an important factor and is noted for its large shipments of cream to Edmonton. To facilitate the handling of handling the cream, Burns and Co. Ltd., established a large creamery in 1922.

The first manager, W. Prest, was widely known, as the banking district at that time comprised a territory of about 1,000 square miles. He was in charge of the branch until 1913, when he was succeeded by R. J. Fairbairn. Other managers since have been T. Matheson, R Sparling, E. A. Rolstad, T. H. J. Grierson and the present manager, A. C. Gladman.

The Bank and its officers in their association with Manville have taken a keen interest in its progress and have contributed to the development, not only of the town, but also the surrounding community.

MOTHERS' DAY TO BE OBSERVED IN IRMA SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday, May 13th, is Mothers' Day in the Irma Sunday school. Service begins at 11 a.m. All mothers, dads and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

A want ad. in this paper does big work at small cost. Now is the time to sell, trade, or exchange for something else.

Honey in Candy, Cooking or Preserving

Honey has long been recognixed not only as the most delectable of sweets but also as a valuable heat and energy producing food, yet, there are many people still unaware of the several ways in which it may be used. Honey is a highly concentrated sugar solution, and as such may be used in practically every way that ordinary sugar is used. Owing to the great variety of flowers from which it is gathered, honey varies greatly in colour and flavour. As a rule, the lighter the colour the more delicate its flavour, therefore, in selecting for flavour one may be largely guided by colour. All Canadian honeys granulate sooner or later. This, however, does not effect its quality, and granulated honey can be restored to its liquid form by standing it in hot water until all the crystals are dissolved. The water should be no hotter than the hand will bear. Honey contains from 18 to 20 per cent water, therefore the quantity of liquid called for in any recipe must be reduced one-fourth when honey is used to replace the sugar. Honey is less acid than molasses, therefore, if it is used in the place of molasses less soda is required. From one-quarter to one-half teaspoon is sufficient for one cup of honey. Most honeys have a slightly higher sweetening value than sugar. When used on fruit or cereals, or in the manufacture of fruit drinks or ice cream, honey not only provides the necessary sweetening element, but in addition adds a delightful flavour of its own. If used in the manufacture also their keeping qualities, in that it it not only improves their flavour but of bread, cakes, cookies, muffins, etc., keeps them moist and more palatable for a much longer time than does sugar. Honey may also replace sugar in part or in whole in the making of jams or preserves; but has a tendency to foam when heated, greater care must be excercised to prevent it from boiling over. Tested recipes can be obtained by writing to the Bee Division Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

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United Church Notes

Services next Sunday will be at Albert, Alma Mater and Lorn. The services will be of a special nature appropriate for "Mother's Day."

The I.O.O.F. Lodge and the Rebekah Lodge, will worship with us next Sunday. Everyone is cordially invited.

Jarrow B. of T. Meet

The Jarrow Board of Trade met Tuesday evening, May 8th, at the community hall. Various questions of interest were discussed. The committee appointed to arrange for the sports day are hard at work so that the public will be loyally entertained at the Jarrow sports which will take place on Monday, June 4th.

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Special Interest In Debt Act Pact

A new section of the debt adjustment act dealing with foreclosures, of special interest, it is pointed out by board officials.

Approved by the legislature when dealing with amendments to the act Monday, the complete section read as follows:

"No permit shall be granted in respect of any proceeding founded on any morgage or agreement of sale of lands which are being farmed, if these proceedings lead to foreclosure, merely by reason of the fact that because of the depreciation in values caused by abnormal economic conditions the security for the time being sold to realize a price which is commensurate with its ordinary value under normal conditions."

This was the section passed, after Premier Brownlee had declared that another section which was struck out, meant virtually a moratorium.—Edmonton Journal.

W.C.T.U. Meeting

Main topics of the last W.C.T.U. meeting held on Thursday afternoon were: results of prohibition, facts about government control, and legislation matters.

Following the devotional exercises and other routine program, a letter was read by the secretary from J. R. Love, M.L.A., expressing a conservative attitude toward temperance activities, and one from Mrs Williamson provincial superintendent of legislation giving much interesting data re laws that particularly affect women and children.

A review of an article by Evangeline Booth showed much moral and financial gain had been secured in the United States during prohibition. Her slum work experience gave evidence that immense strides in family comfort had disappeared and crime greatly lessened.

It was shown by officially compiled statistics that in one year since government control in Alberta the drink bill for the province had been fifteeen million dollars ($15,000) which is enough money to lay four one dollar bills on every letter in the bible with sufficient left over to build five modern high school buildings.

It was also brought out in the discussion that the expense of carrying on the requirements and results of government control exceeded the cost of operations the partial prohibition that obtained here for a few years—so much so, that net proceeds from the revenue of the former were less than from the latter.

A superintendent of legislation was appointed whose functions will be to concentrate on securing practical information regarding many points of modern law, such as mothers' pension, citizenship, old age pension, woman's status re property rights, etc.

N.O.P., Press Supt.

Alma Mater News

"A Little Clodhopper" which was played by the Merry Makers on Mar. 27th, proved to be quite a success. It will again be put on in Roseberry school on June 1 (Friday), beginning at 8.30 p.m. A dance will follow the play.

The next meeting of the Merry-Makers will be held on May 28th.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. F. Russel and family wish to convey their sincere gratitude to all those who contributed flowers, or who helped in any way at the time of their recent sad bereavement.

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Kinsella Golf Club Open Season When Many Visitors Try Out Course

Kinsella, May 8th, 1934

The opening ceremonies of the Kinsella golf club course proved an auspicious occasion the first of the week. The day was ideal and a large and happy crowd of golfers and visitors present. The long distance driving contest was won by Dr. Haworth. The little old ball sailed away for over 200 yards

First Flight: Dr. Haworth and Mr. Ferries. On account of the doctor being called away only three holes could be played.

Second Flight: Mr. Nease, Kinsella, Mr. Ken Hilliker, Viking, Mr. Main, Viking. This was a closely contested game, Mr Nease made a score of 36; Mr. Hilliker, 38; Mr. Main 50. Percy's first try at golf was remarkable and he bids fair to become an adept at the ancient and honorable game.

Third Flight: H. G. Thunell, Viking; Mr. Wadden, Kinsella; Mr. Cameron, Wainwright. Thunell's score 44; Wadden 42; Cameron 49. Mr. Cameron is also a beginner and evinced much enthusiasm.

Fourth Flight: Wm. Revill, Jack Corbett, Pender Smith, Oscar Simpson.

Fifth Flight: L. Cameron, Jack McKie, Jack Bawden.

The following ladies made up several Flights:

Mrs. Ken Hilliker, Mrs. Thunell, Miss Wood, Miss Taylor, Viking; Mrs. Cameron, Wainwright; Misses Sterling, Wachter, V. Murray, G. Lee, Isabel McKie, Jean Bawden, Kathleen Ferries, Kinsella; Miss Ferries, Edmonton; Miss Violet Williams, Miss Francis Stronach, Mrs. Wm. Revill, Rodino.

Mrs. Nease was convenor at the [illegible] refreshment table and a crowd of over 84 in all were well fed after taking the trip around the course. Assisting Mrs. Nease were Mrs. McKie, Mrs. Corbett, Mrs. Garvie, Mrs. Jack Bawden, Mrs. J. L. Smith, and Mrs. Ferries. And as Mr. Wadden said, "and boys were the eats good!"

A hearty welcome is extended to all golfers at Viking and adjoining towns to come and try out the course at any time. It is located south of the track just a short distance west of Kinsella, and is a course that any town might well be proud of. Much of the work in keeping the course in shape has been done by Messrs. Nease Wadden and Ferries who acknowledge much needed assistance from friends and neighbors.

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Another Season Opens

Advent of spring conditions has stirred residents of the prairie provinces to active preparation for the new crop. They approach the accustomed tasks with a variety of feelings induced by their new vision of the status of agriculture in the economic fabric of the country. Their future is not so clear, perhaps, as it once was, because they have yet no settled convictions as to what the net effects of the marketing and control legislation, before provincial and federal legislatures, will be upon their own husbandry. They are hoping for the best, realizing that, if there is a bumper crop, the exact significance of the new legislation will become at once apparent.

In those sections of the prairies which have suffered from drought conditions as well as from the prevailing economic depression, the new season revives a hope that world efforts to raise prices of farm produce will have been successful before the new crop goes on the market. They hope the season for them will mean release from the plight which has forced them to be dependent upon relief; that a more propitious season will place them again upon the road to independence, security and prosperity.

Prairie folks have well-earned the encomiums heaped upon them by those more fortunately situated, for their fortitude and solidarity throughout their time of trouble. Each spring has seen them return to the wonted seasonal employment with energy unimpaired by successive privations and disappointments. They have seen their hopes frustrated, their work nullified, their reserves shrink to vanishing point; but they have not wilted under the strain. Throughout, they seem to have been inspired by something akin to that philosophy which Count Leo Tolstoy put into the mouth of one of his characters:

"They say: sufferings are misfortunes . . . We imagine that as soon as we are torn out of our habitual path all is over, but it is only the beginning of something new and good. As long as there is life, there is happiness. There is a great deal, a great deal before us."

Theirs has not been mere passive submission to oppressive circumstance either. They are earnestly seeking leadership and a way out of their difficulties, and for some means of averting future danger of a recurrence of the conditions which have brought them disquiet. They are looking for development, sooner or later, of a new economic structure, which will give them assurance of better returns, and more stabilized returns, for their labors. They see evidences of a striving after the end they seek in home, imperial and foreign fields, and they believe that the lesson of the depression is not, after all, to be ignored.

It is but little over a year ago that Will Dyson, in satiric mood, was moved to say:

"There never was in the world at any other moment so many men going through the motions of thinking without thought resulting."

It is true, there has been much vain, impractical thinking, much invention of chimerical new worlds. But it is to the everlasting credit of the prairie sections of Canada that, at a time when forces seemed impelling them to pursue some phantom remedy of release, they have resisted the temptation and clung tenaciously to the path which common-sense and past experience have taught them was best suited to their needs and most consonant with their desires. It was no impractical, enigmatical, abstract "ism" they wanted, it was leadership and a road back to a normal condition in the realm of trade and commerce based upon a "live and let live" principle.

The new orientation of their aspirations as citizens of an agricultural region was indicated, recently, in the growing appreciation of the need of a balanced development of all natural resources of commercial value. Saskatchewan residents have reason to enter upon the new era with enhanced hope and profounder convictions of the great future awaiting their province. The occasion of the gas strike in the Lloydminster area was considered important enough by the premier of the province, to warrant mention on the floor of the legislature; and, indeed, striking of a gas flow of from eight to ten million cubic feet per day cannot but be interpreted as a happy augury of future development. Accession of the province, too, to a place of importance as a gold producer, has been signalized in recent months, gold production having advanced from around $500 in 1932 to more than $110,000 in 1933—an amazing leap, with greater in prospect. These facts, stimulating the imaginations and widening the horizons of residents of a region hitherto considered almost solely as agricultural, are contributing their part to the new energy with which prairie folk are addressing themselves to the wonted tasks connected with the spring season.

Chinese Sense Of Honor

Boy Shaved Lifetime To Pay Debt Of His Father

An extraordinary instance of Chinese filial piety, involving half a century of hard labor and the savings of a lifetime, has just been officially recorded with admiring comment in the chronicles of the Tschi district. In 1883 a man named Chang died penniless and owing a debt of $120 to his best friend, a man named Yih. Chang left a "will" ordering his son, then ten years old, to repay the debt. But Mr. Yih appeared at the Chang funeral and ceremoniously forgave the debt. Just recently the Chang boy, now a white-haired man sixty years old, appeared at the Yih homestead with $120 to discharge the debt. The Yih family refused to accept the money, so an arbitrator was called in, and finally the money was given to the local primary school.

The Sudan now has 112 official aviation landing fields.

Thrilled At Ninety-Seven

Manitoba Indian Has Seen City For First Time

Benjamin Crow, known in his own Cree Indian tongue as Ah-Ah-Su, 97 years of age, came, saw and marvelled. Summoned to Winnipeg by the White Man's law as a witness in a claim-jumping case, Ah-Ah-Su came to civilization for the first time in his life. He lives at God's Lake, Man., and has spent his entire life in the northern bushland, far from civilization.

Gazing in wonder at huge buildings, street cars, automobiles and bicyles, Benjamin Crow was taken to see a "talkie", and found it the most wonderful experience of his life.

Ah-Ah-Su's first night in a hotel was an adventure. Spurning the bed, he stretched himself out on the floor in his rabbitskin robe.

A British authority estimates that 29,000,000 tons of steel costing $1,400,000,000 are destroyed by rust each year.

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Marvels of the Human Eye

By F. M. CROWE, Optometrist-Optician, Calgary

NO. 9—ARE HUMAN EYES DEGENERATING?

This question is frequently asked by people who observe closely the steadily increasing number of "glass-wearers" as compared with a generation ago. The answer is—No. The eyes of the present generation are in no wise better or weaker than those of our ancestors unless it can be proved that the whole physique of the race has degenerated. As is the whole physical body so are the eyes.

But much more is required of our eyes today than formerly. The unprecedented growth of manufacturing and commercial life, the strenuous struggle for existence, the ever increasing complexity of modern civilization, the knowledge of the world in all lines of human endeavour, knowledge that must be mastered to achieve success, put far greater strain on the eyes to-day than heretofore. Our schools are far more exacting and severe, the business and scientific worlds require closer application and more painstaking care than ever before. Electricity has turned night into day making it possible to do much work by artificial illumination that was formerly impossible and unnecessary. All this then requires the use of sharper vision and more hours per day of it than was necessary in former times and because of these exacting demands on the eyes, latent imperfections and errors of refraction causing eyestrain, are made manifest by symptoms of discomfort and distress, compelling us to seek improvement of vision and the comfort afforded by proper glasses.

Investigation has shown that primitive races of men have the same irregularities of the eyes as we have, the difference lies in the use to which they are put. So when Nature gives the warning signals—common sense would say—take heed.

(To Be Continued)

Rheumatism Got Him

80-years-old Pianist Is Relieved by Kruschen

Although old age has not yet kept this man from his occupation as a pianist, rheumatism did threaten to do so recently.

"Two years ago," he writes, "I was suddenly taken with rheumatism, all down my left arm. I tried many things—all to no purpose. I then commenced taking a half-teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts every morning, and soon felt benefit. My arm, which was painful and nearly useless, to my astonishment is now, after a few weeks' treatment, quite better. I am more than pleased, as I am a pianist, and playing made matters worse. I am just entering my 80th year, and am in good health."—G. L. A.

The six mineral salts of Kruschen have a direct effect upon the whole bloodstream, neutralizing uric acid, which is the recognized cause of rheumatism. They also restore the eliminating organs to proper working order, and so prevent constipation, thereby checking the further formation of uric acid and other body poisons which undermine the health.

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Amazing Results Obtained By Use Of New Machine

It is said that constant dripping wears away stone; to-day it is easily demonstrated that a jet of water can make the hardest metal seem as soft as cheese. It is used in a machine prepared to determine the wear on aeroplane propellers cutting through a foggy morning, or the blades of a steam turbine revolving in ocean water. It is a sure test for the right kind of metal for such purposes. Two plugs made of metal to be tested are whirled round inside a casing at a speed of 20,000 revolutions a second, equal to 13½ miles an minute. With each revolution the plugs meet and pass through jets of water little thicker than the lead in a pencil. The amazing result is that plugs of stainless iron or nickel wear half-way through in two or three minutes. Stellite and iron nitride, which is almost diamond hard, hold out for only 15 or 20 minutes each.

Empire's Jugular Vein

Name Given To Suez Canal By Germany During War

The Suez Canal is of vital concern to India. Of late the strategical importance of the canal to India, Australia and New Zealand and the Far East has indeed, in contrast with the apathy of seventy or eighty years ago, been fully realized by Imperial strategists and statesmen. Its defence has figured in all the British discussion with Egypt since the War, and is now, whatever may be the political status of Egypt in the future, regarded as a major British interest. During the Great War Germany described it as the "jugular vein" of the British Empire."

Denmark's Tall Tower

Visitors to a tower to be erected on the shore of Pebling lake, Copenhagen, Denmark, will be able to lunch in a restaurant 980 feet above the ground. The structure will be 1,040 feet high. The base will be a park of 1,880 square yards where a skating rink and a clubroom for yachtsmen and other sportsmen will be constructed.

Ninety Years Old

The Toronto Globe on March 28 celebrated its 90th anniversary of publication, bringing out a 22-page supplement tracing its history and much of the history of Canada since the newspaper was founded in 1844 by George Brown.

With an average annual production of 7,000,000 tons, Argentina ranks first as a corn exporting country.

Cuba's Sugar Industry

Has Highest Production In World When Times Are Normal

Cuba possesses more than 3,000 miles of railroad, and nearly 2,000 miles of government highways, including the modern Central Highway, a $120,000,000 ribbon of pavement that extends for 706 miles from Pinar del Rio to Santiago. Cuba also possesses a modern and efficient network of telephone lines which boasted of automatic dial telephones several years before New York or Chicago had them. During normal times Cuba is the largest producer of raw sugar in the world, and it has the facilities for maintaining this status. In 1928-29 this "sugar bowl of the Antilles" poured into the stream of commerce more than 5,700,000 tons of raw sugar, but in 1933 the crop was limited by presidential decree to 2,000,000 tons. The world also turns to the Bueta-Abajo district, in western Cuba, for the choicest cigar tobacco, although due to labor troubles in recent years, many of the finest brands of cigars are now manufactured from Cuban tobacco in the United States.

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Won His Wager

Derek Eyles, native of Wellingborough, Northhampton, England, wagered he could eat fifty dougnnuts at a sitting. He ate them—and won. Still feeling hungry he ordered fifty more and ate them at the rate of one a minute. Eyles has now issued a challenge to any man who claims a big appetite.

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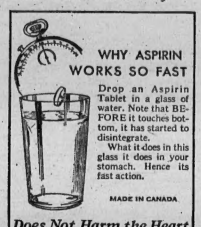
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Expedition Trying To Find Nesting Place Of White Variety

The combined efforts of the Canadian government, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the Hudson's Bay Company and the Eskimos of Baffin Island were required to track the blue goose to its breeding grounds.

An expedition equipped to travel by canoe, dog sled, snowshoes and airplanes has gone to British Columbia in an effort to find the nesting place of the rare white variety known as Ross' snow goose. It was first reported in 1861 and observed in the vicinity of Sacramento, California. Although since then it has been seen in flight both in the south and the north, its breeding place has never been discovered.

In the winter months Ross' goose is a frequently observed species, but in the spring it is lost after flying beyond the latitude of Great Slave and Great Bear lakes, and its summer home is problematical. It is a victim of modernity, which denies the right of privacy.

Cushion Stuffed With Money

Woman Found Hundred Pounds In Notes Forty Years Old

A small cushion which was used as a kettle holder by Mrs. T. M. Crosby, of Burton Stone Lane, York, has been found to contain £100. Mrs. Crosby was about to put it in the rag bag when curiosity as to what it was stuffed with caused her to open it. She found among cotton wool and red flannel twenty £5 notes, which were forty years old. The police were informed and Mrs. Crosby recalled that a neighbor, Mrs. Ainsworth, of Ratcliffe street, York, gave a perambulator with the cushion to one of her children. Mrs. Ainsworth could not recollect where she got the perambulator or even that she had given it to Mrs. Crosby's daughter. The chief constable has allotted Mrs. Crosby £75 and Mrs. Ainsworth £25.

Devil's Food Cake

2 cups brown sugar
½ teaspoon salt
¾ cup sour milk
¼ cup Benson's Corn Starch
1 teaspoon baking powder
6 tablespoons Mazola
3 egg yolks
2 cups flour
1 teaspoon soda
2 squares bitter chocolate
½ cup boiling water.

Cream the Mazola until light, then gradually beat in one cup of sugar. Add the well beaten yolks and then beat in the rest of the sugar. Melt the chocolate in a double boiler with the boiling water and when thick add this to the sour milk. Sift the flour and corn starch with the soda, baking powder and ½ teaspoon of salt and add to the mixture alternately with the liquid which has been allowed to cool. Bake in a moderate oven in well-oiled pans (350 degrees).

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OCCASIONAL WIFE

By
EDNA ROBB WEBSTER

Author of "Joretta," "Lipstick Girl" Etc.

SYNOPSIS

Camilla Hoyt and Peter Anson, young and in love, marry secretly, deciding to live their own lives apart until Peter is able to provide for her. Peter is a young, struggling sculptor trying to win a competition for a scholarship abroad and Camilla is the adopted daughter of a wealthy family. She is not to inherit money when she comes of age and so is studying commercial art in the hope of landing an agency job. Others in the story are Avis Werth, another wealthy girl who is trying to win Peter, Sylvia Todd, Peter's model, and Gus Matson, his former roommate with whom he has quarrelled. At a party at an exclusive club Peter entertains Camilla's guests with impersonations. When the rest of the members of the party go to a cabaret to continue the gaiety, Peter and Camilla slip off to the beach by themselves and fall asleep on the sand. When they awake it is early morning and Avis and another boy are standing near them. This makes it necessary for Camilla to announce before the party that she and Peter are married. Bowman and Weeks, an advertising agency, where Camilla has submitted some of her work, send for her and offer her a salary of $50.00 a week to start and a prospect of having it doubled. She tells Peter of her good fortune in securing employment. Mrs. Hoyt is also informed that Camilla has obtained work and is going to leave the Hoyt household. Avis Werth rents a studio on the same floor as Peter, and invites him to have lunch there. He accepts reluctantly, but is favorably impressed with his visit. Camilla urges Peter to accept some of her earnings to help him along, but Peter refuses and they quarrel.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER XXXIX.

Peter dismissed Avis' suggestion that she "invest money in his future," with, "I couldn't do that. It's awfully sporting of you to offer and I appreciate your confidence in me, but it wouldn't be fair to borrow money from you just because you are a good friend."

"You would consider a loan from a stranger, if he would take the risk?"

"I might. I know that I could pay it back sometime, whether I make it at sculptoring or not. I certainly don't expect to be broke for always."

"Then let me back you for a trial. I'd love to be interested in your progress and see you win out." She did not plead or attempt to influence him with a personal appeal. Only her words were persuasive.

After a short silence, he asked abruptly, "Why are you interested in me?"

Her head was thrown back against a cushion and she looked at him from beneath lowered eyelids. Her lips curved slightly with amusement. "Because I like you," Avis admitted. "And, as I said, because I believe in your ability, and have money to invest in a good thing when I see it. Need any more reasons?"

"Is that all of them?" soberly.

"All I can think of at this moment." She laughed and tossed a cushion at his head. "You're a funny old thing. Anyway, it's all settled. How much?" She got up and went to her desk, took out a pen and check book.

"Oh, don't give it to me, now. I want it done up regular, with legal papers, witnesses and all the red tape. You haven't named the interest, even. How do I know you won't charge more than the legal rate?" He attempted to jest, but his confused thoughts were like weights in his brain.

"Is six per cent. fair enough?"

"Okay. Compounded every three months, payable—when?"

"When you have it to spare. So long as you pay the interest, it makes no difference to me how long you have it. It will be a relief to have that much more invested safely." Her words were brisk, businesslike. "Besides, as I told you the other day, I want you to do some work for me when you get time. I really am serious about that, and I'm sure that mother can use some new garden pieces, also."

"Why should I do them? There are so many who are better known than I."

"You are impossible, Peter Anson. Won't you even grant us the honor of having some of the first pieces done by the future famous Peter Anson? Someone has to start you, surely. And when our friends see what you have done for us, their orders will just naturally follow. One client always leads to another, for a clever workman."

"You are most encouraging," he admitted. And in a kinder tone, "I do appreciate your interest, Avis, but you can understand that I can't impose upon you."

"Anything which I might do for you is no sacrifice for me, you know that. And this loan is only an advance payment on my future account. It gives me no inconvenience and helps you a little for the present."

"A little! It means everything to me!" he declared. Relief and hope and gratitude were in his voice.

"I hope it will bring everything to you," Avis echoed gently. She began to write the check in her large angular scrawl.

"Wait a minute," Peter interrupted her, "if you won't wait for witnesses for this transaction, I'll make out some sort of temporary legal form for a substitute. Or have you some promissory note blanks?"

"You must think I write checks regularly for loans," she laughed. "Of course, I haven't. But why be silly about all that? I'll have your signature on my canceled check. That's enough for me."

"Not much. I appreciate your confidence in me, but supposing I died suddenly or—"

She smiled. "In that case, I just couldn't collect, I guess."

"That's right," with sudden consternation. "Well, you see? I'm not even a good risk."

"You are more absurd every minute. If you try hard enough, I suppose you could think of a hundred reasons why I shouldn't let you have the money. But why not be sensible, both of us take a sporting chance, and you win out? If you don't stop this worrying over trifles and hurting your work for the sake of a little expense, you will get nowhere. As for seeing Paris, it will be as unattainable for you as the moon."

Finally, Peter returned to his room with a check for one thousand dollars and a mingled sensation of vexation, relief and satisfaction. He had insisted upon signing a temporary legal form of his own writing, on which were specific terms and figures.

His gratitude was pathetically genuine when he thanked her. "This is awfully decent of you, Avis. I'll never forget it, either."

"Not even when you have become famous?" she asked playfully.

"Especially then," he promised. "This is going to make a lot of difference in my work."

"Of course it will. That is why I wanted you to have it. Forget your troubles, now, and finish the new figure on time for the exhibit. Then, we shall celebrate."

"How?"

"With a big party right here." She longed to suggest a more private celebration, but dared not. She had been too successful thus far in her plans to grow reckless now.

She closed the door after him and leaned against it, her head thrown back, dreamily. With Peter in Paris—the Louvre, the Place de la Concorde, the Jardin des Tuileries, the Luxembourg—the paradise of pleasure seekers, the luxury of art and culture—what a place for romance and subtle intrigue, given the right conditions. And surely, she would have them right at her fingertips.

Poor, dear, gullible Peter, who believed he was so wary and shrewd. How like a man to be so easily deceived by deception and so suspicious of sincerity. He would accept money from the woman who was determined to win him at any cost, and obstinately refused to allow his wife to help him even a little. Which was what made conquest profitable for unscrupulous women like Avis. She might have loved him as sincerely as Camilla did, but his responses had never justified her assidious campaign for his favor.

Peter closed his own door and stared down at the check. It was more money than he had dreamed of possessing for a long, long time. He rejoiced over it at the same time he despised it. But he would show Camilla that he could take care of himself. Nothing ever had angered him so as her patronizing manner of that afternoon. And there is nothing like being angry with the woman he loves, to make a man's brain lose its balance.

(To Be Continued)



Paper Made From House Flies

House Pest Now Used For Manufacture Of Super-Fine Paper

That pest, the common house fly, has been turned to good usage—the manufacture of paper.

The Paper Foundation, planning its exhibit for the 1934 World's Fair at Chicago, announced it would display for the first time a paper which claims the wings and legs of flies as one of its principal ingredients.

William J. Miskilla, president of the foundation, said it takes about 10,000 flies for the manufacture of every pound of the new paper.

"We have found," he said, "that the wings and legs of flies, if mixed with the pulp of super-fine paper, give the finished products a peculiar and handsome watermark pattern that it is impossible to duplicate in any other way.

"We will probably have to look to Europe for our flies, for health authorities and others have reduced them to comparatively few in the United States," Miskilla added. "We are now negotiating with one man in Europe, whose name I cannot reveal, who will be able to supply house flies to us in carload lots."

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

THE WILD BIRD

Question:
The singing bird, the joyous bird,
How could you let it go?
Like silver water through green reeds
Its clear notes used to flow.
Ah, can it be you did not love
Its happy, woodland song,
That told of wind and tree and sky
The whole day long?

Answer:
I loved it well, the bird whose notes
Were clear as woodland streams.
It lured me to enchanted lands,
It brought me back lost dreams;
But ever in its cadences
I caught a wistful strain.
A hint of longing woven through
That silver-sweet refrain.
I loved it so, I could not bear
That poignant melody,
And so I left the door ajar
And set the wild bird free.

Membership Growing

Membership in the Manitoba boys and girls poultry clubs in 1934 will be in advance of the 200 recorded in 1933, in the opinion of J. C. Scholes, who is in charge of the provincial poultry service. He estimates that 15,000 day-old chicks will go out to 300 boys and girls this year.

Individual microphones for each person sharing in a business conference have been invented to record his words on a steel wire.

Hans Christian Andersen

Son Of Poor Shoemaker Became A Writer With World-Wide Fame

Denmark recently celebrated the birthday of a poor shoemaker's son who lived to become one of the nation's most famous literary figures. He was Hans Christian Andersen, whose fairy tales are known among children and adults in almost all civilized countries.

Andersen, backward and considered stupid in his youth, was born at Odense in Funen province, April 2, 1805. His parents had so little money the entire family lived in one room.

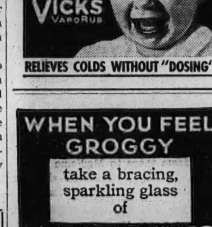
Andersen always scored his biggest success with fantasy, but had ambitions to write romance and did, in fact, achieve some notice as a novelist and a poet.

His fairy tales earned him fame all over Europe. He was accorded a great welcome when he went to England in 1847. When he left Charles Dickens bade him farewell at Ramsgate pier.

In 1872 Andersen fell out of bed and was severely hurt. He was never well from that time on, and in 1875 he died at his home near Copenhagen.

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Little Helps For This Week

"He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul; He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake." Psalm 23:2-3.

He leads me where the waters glide,
The waters soft and still.
And homeward He will gently guide
My wandering heart and will.
—J. Keble

Out of obedience and devotion arises an habitual faith which makes Him, though unseen, a part of all our life. He will guide us in a sure path, though it be a rough one, though shadows hang upon it, yet He will be with us. He will bring us home at last. Through much trial it may be, in weariness and much fear and fainting of heart, in much sadness and loneliness, in griefs that the world never knows, and under burdens the nearest never suspect. Yet He will suffice for all. By His eye or His voice He will guide us if we be docile and gentle, by His staff and His rod if we wander or are wilful, any way, and by all means, He will bring us to His rest.—H. E. Manning.

Requires No Aerodrome

Toronto Inventor Describes Bellaphane To Reporters At Plymouth

John Howard, of Toronto, arrived at Plymouth, England, and described to reporters the invention with which he and Dr. H. P. Holler, of Maryland, hope to revolutionize aviation.

"The bellaphane", he declared, "is a machine which can land directly and smoothly on land or sea. There's no need for an aerodrome, nor for a mooring mast. It combines the principles of the dirigible with those of the autogyro."

The new invention would make it possible, Howard added, to go from England to Australia without a single stop or the possibility of a single accident.

Bellaphanes would be 106 feet long, could carry 25 passengers, and have a speed of from 100 miles an hour upwards.

The accident risk would be eliminated in the fact the bellaphane would have an autogyro-like propeller. If the helium bag should burst folding wings attached to the structure could be let out.

Inverted Figures On Coins

Enhanced Value Of Few Nova Scotia 1832 Ha'pennies

Everybody around Halifax is closely scanning all old coins. Recently a letter was received at the office of the Halifax board of trade requesting information about the value of a Nova Scotia ha'penny of 1832.

The letter was referred to E. J. Vickery and he said that if the coin was actually dated 1832 it would be worth up to $10.00. The reason for this high value for a mere half-penny is the fact that when the coppers were being run off the plate some of them were printed with the numbers 8 and 3 inverted. This mistake was discovered and corrected, but not before a number of coins had been run off and circulated.

Salvaging Sunken Metal

Equipped with diving apparatus which, it is claimed, will allow salvage work to be carried on at a depth of 1,000 feet below the surface of the sea, the Italian steamer Briarco has gone to Tunis, North Africa, to undertake the recovery of more than $3,000,000 worth of wolfram metal from a sunken British steamer. The treasure was lost during the war when the Glenartney sank in 700 feet of water.

Different Kind Of Coppers

Having need of some small change, the mistress of the house stepped to the top of the back stairs. "Bessie," she said to the maid below, "have you any coppers down there?"

"Yes'm—two," faltered Bessie, "but they're my cousins, please m'm."

Confucianism Revived

Although the Nanking government frowns upon all forms of superstition and upon religious worship and has closed or confiscated hundreds of temples, the Canton regime is officially sponsoring a revival of Confucianism and is, in effect, making it a state religion.

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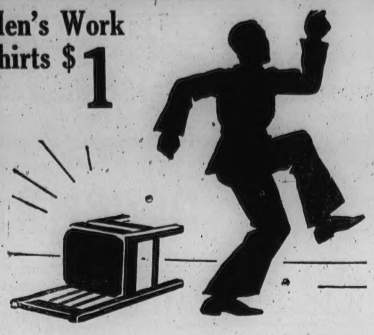
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Main Street

Mr. Reeves, of Provost, visited with friends in Irma last week-end.

Mrs. Paul Meyers came up from Wainwright by Thursday afternoon's train, returning Saturday morning.

D. Zukiwski has returned from Vegreville where he has been looking after his farming interests.

Rev. J. R. Geeson recently purchased a 1934 model Ford v8 sedan from the local dealer, A. C. Carbol.

Mr. James Craig has started erecting a cottage for Mrs. H. Wood on her land adjoining Mr. Schon's property.

The Irma school board held their regular meeting for the month of May on the evening of the 7th.

Mrs. P. J. Hardy is home for a week's visit fith her mother, Mrs. C. T. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rollans and family of Viking, vsted with the former's sister here, Mrs J. Bishop, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Fitzpatrick and family have moved to their homestead at Holyoke, ninety miles north of here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foxwell accompanied by Mrs. N. S. Johnson and Miss Myrtle Fitzpatrick, motored to Edmonton last Sunday, for a few days visit.

Mr. Johnnie Enger went to Winter Saskatchewan, last Saturday, motoring from there to Medicine Hat with his parents to visit his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Davis.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mills (nee Miss Maud Smallwood) at the Royal Alexandra hospital, a girl, on Sunday, April 29th. Congratulations.

Mrs. McBain and Messrs. George McBain, Chas McLean and Jas. Carter, enjoyed a motor trip to Pigeon Lake last week. While they were there they visited Mrs. McBain's son, Andrew.

Discernment

There are so many wrongs overlapping each other—
So many speak false in the hope of some gain—
That often I wonder
Dear God in His thunder
Speaks not to the schemers of evils that pain.
But then as I study the laws of the universe,
Learning by clauses the purpose divine—
I find its the working
Of splrits unshirking
And true to the light that their visions reveal
Which moves the big masses
Thro' perilous passes
And yields a rare glimpse of the region ideal.
I note the progressing
Of human possessing
That furthers us forward to futures benign
Is governed completely,
Accurate, metely,
But just the degree that each atom is true;
And the progress of millions,
The welfare of trillions,
Depends on how honest am I and you.

NANCY ORPHA PARKE.
Irma, Alberta.

Jarrow Jottings

The play, "A Southern Cinderella," under the auspices of the Jarrow's Ladies' Aid, will be presented in the Malbrae school house, Friday, May 11th, at Jarrow, Wednesday, May 16, and Kinsella on May 17th.

Mothers' Day will be observed in the Jarrow United church with appropriate services. The Sunday school children will render a short program of recitations and songs. A cordial invitation is extended to all and especially to every mother.

The girl Guides put on a play at the Valley school house last Friday evening which was well attended. The proceeds of $18.00 is to be used for the support of the summer camp for the members of the guides.

Mr Stanley Lisson has been on the sick list for some time. We hope he is on the way to recovery.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Jamieson last, Wednesday with a large attendance. Plans were made for a booth under the charge of the Ladies' Aid for the 4th of June.

A "bee" was held Tuesday afternoon when a member of the Ladies' Aid with a few men gathered at the cemetery and planted trees. Beautifying the cemetery is a splendid work and is very often neglected, especially in small towns.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Peet and her little son were Jarrow visitors for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Marbry were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marbry recently. Little Yvonne accompanied her grandparents to their home in Melville, Sask.

Mr and Mrs. George Matthews visited their daughter at Killam last Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Griffith accompanied Rev. and Mrs. Geeson and Mrs. Locke to Viking last Monday, to attend a business meeting of the Camp Lake committee. It was decided that a camp for girls will be held at Camp Lake, from the 11th of July to the 18th, and for boys from the 18th, until the 25th.

Gas Struck at Brosseau

Drilling for oil, the Frontier Development Co., have struck a flow of gas in their well near Brosseau, on the Saskatchewan River, north-east of Vegreville, in what is belived to be a continuation of the Viking gas field sands. No estimate of the volume of the flow is possible in this well as yet.

W. A. TEA AND SALE.

The Irma W. A. are holding a Tea and Sale of Home Cooking in the former butcher shop on Saturday, May 19th. 4-11c

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Viking Items

Talkies every Thursday.

Thursday, May 24th, will be observed as a holiday again this year as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Nease and A. A. Wadden of Kinsella called at the hospital Tuesday evening.

Everybody should take notice that the Wednesday half-holidays will commence in Viking on May 30th.

J. H. McDonald of the Calgary Power Co., motored through here on Monday on a tour of inspection.

The front of the new building occupied by the Woodland Dairy is being improved with a coat of stucco.

The Viking Elks Lodge will hold their regular meeting on Tuesday evening, May 15th. All members take note of this and be there.

Don Collier has arrived home from Edmonton where he has been attending the University.

J. J. Leeder has been making repairs to the exterior of the bank vault. He reports finding no big bills sticking out of the walls.

Miss Blanche Thornton, A.T.C.M., teacher of piano and theory in Viking Friday and Saturday at Mrs. T. Armstrong's home. 25-tfc

The drawing of the lucky ticket for the K. K. K.'s quilt will take place in Darrah's store at 9.30 on Saturday evening.

The Northern Rangers are playing for a dance in the Elks hall on Wednesday, May 23rd, under local C. W. L. auspices. This is an event that everyone is looking forward to attend.

Dr. G. C. Haworth will be away from May 14th to 19th attending a post-graduate course in Edmonton. During his absence Dr. Griffith will be in charge.

O. Gibson and S. S. Chiswell motored to the Bulwark district south of the Battle River last week and report wheat is already showing up. Mr. Gibson brought a horse home from that district.

The regular meeting of the Swastika Club will be held in the Poplar Hill school on Monday, May 14th. This meeting will take the form of a social evening. Mr. Dodds will make an address.

Dr. M. A. Griffith has moved his family here from Unity, Sask. His sons Ashley M., a student in arts at the University of Saskatchewan, and George S., a fourth year student in medicine, have also arrived.

Monday was observed by the bank staff as a holiday.

The Viking school is being represented at the musical festival today (Wednesday) at Vegreville.

The front of the building occupied by Dr. Haworth and Dr. Richardson is being treated to a coat of paint.

Mrs. S. Matwichuk has returned from a week's visiting with friends in the Edson and Peace River districts.

A play and dance is being sponsored by the Viking Sons of Norway Lodge to be held in the north hall on May 17th

Murray Murdoch has been appointed manager of the Shasta baseball team in the Edmonton senior city league.

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